Reply of Government.—The member will refer to the new rules on the subject.

Subject No. 74.

Introduction of House-tax into villages to which the Sanitary Regulation has been introduced.

Mr. Dodde Gowda, Krishnarajpet Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—For the better sanitation of villages, it is suggested that all villages to which the Sanitation Regulation has been introduced, may be made Minor Municipalities, and the *mohatarfa* collected in them utilized for the improvement of those villages.

Reply of Government.—The new rules provide for this.

Subject No. 75.

Utilization of mohatarfa revenue of villages for the improvement of those villages.

Mr. Venkatasamaiya, Chamarajnagar Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—In villages where there is a Municipality, the mohatarfa and other miscellaneous revenue are utilized for the improvement of the village sanitation and the opening out of roads. It is prayed that the mohatarfa and other revenue realized in villages, where there is no Municipality, may likewise be utilized for the improvement of those villages. This arrangement will not only tend to the prosperity of the villages and the welfare of the villagers, but will also act as a preventive against infectious diseases.

Reply of Government.—The new District Board Rules provide for this.

Subject No. 76.

Mohatarfa to be used for sanitation purposes.

Mr. Hutcheeregowda of Gubbi Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Mohatarfa amount may be used for sanitation of the villages concerned.

Reply of Government.—Refer to District Board Rules.

Subject No. 77.

Selection of places for storing manure.

Mr. K. Ramanuja Iyengar of Gubbi Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Places for storing manure have not been selected in accordance with Sanitation Rules. Prosecutions may be stayed till such selections are made.

Reply of Government.—Noted. Will be referred to the Deputy Commissioners.

MEDICAL.

Subject No. 78.

Allowances to Native Physicians.

Mr. Linge Gowda of Nagavala, Mysore Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Native physicians of established repute practising in villages and hoblis may be given some allowance by Government for treating patients.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 79.

Appointing Students, who pass out of the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore as Native Physicians.

Mr. Amb'e Annaiya Pandit of the Mysore District Fund Board.

„ C. Vasudeva Rao.

„ Venkatakrishnaiya.

Summary of Representation.—It is requested that the students who passed out lately from the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore, may be appointed as native physicians on a salary of from Rs. 12 to 15 per month, and posted one to each Taluk to work under the Hospital Assistants.

Reply of Government.—The question of practically utilizing these physicians and of giving grants-in-aid to the Boards employing them, will be considered.

Subject No. 80.

Appointment by Government of approved Native Medical practitioners

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao.

Summary of Representation.—Native Medical practioners of approved learning may be appointed by Government to treat patients gratuitously.

Reply of Government.—See previous Subject No. 79.

Subject No. 81.

Epidemic Diseases.

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao, Chikmagalur.

Summary of Representation.—Steps to combat the disease should be undertaken on a systematic basis. Very inadequate compensation is paid for houses of poor people.

Reply of Government.—It may be presumed that Government and its officers have as much kindness, sympathy and consideration as private persons. Whatever is reasonably practicable is being done. The co-operation and help of private persons in combating these diseases would be very acceptable.

Subject No. 82.

Accommodation to Hospital Assistants.

Mr. Tangli Srinivasa Iyengar, Kadur Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Accommodation to Hospital Assistants may be provided close to the Dispensaries of which they are in charge to enable them to attend to urgent cases at all hours.

Reply of Government.—Whatever is possible is being done.

Subject No. 83.

A Brahmin female ward for the Victoria Hospital at Bangalore.

Mr. Venkatakrishnaiya.

„ Gangaiya.

Summary of Representation.—Arrangements may be made in the Victoria Hospital at Bangalore, for a ward for Brahmin women and for the employment of a Brahmin maid-servant.

Reply of Government.—The Senior Surgeon will be asked to report on this subject.

Subject No. 84.

Hospital Assistant should visit villages in his Taluk to treat sick persons.

Mr. Nadig Sivappa, Sorab Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—As the Hospital Assistants do not visit villages in their taluks, persons who are ailing from malarial fever, etc., are put to hardship. The villagers do not in consequence derive any benefit whatever by the establishment of these Hospitals. In Malnad during cold season every member in a house will be suffering from cold and fever. There are no roads for them to come to the Hospital for treatment. It is therefore prayed that these Hospital Assistants may be ordered to travel in the interior of their taluk to treat the sick, at least for 10 days in each month.

Reply of Government.—Such casual visits are neither feasible nor beneficial. The scheme was tried in the Shimoga District and failed.

Subject No. 85.

An Itinerary Hospital Assistant for each Taluk.

Mr. Gangaiya, Bangalore.

Summary of Representation.—An extra travelling or itinerary Hospital Assistant should be detailed to each Taluk and located at the Taluk Head-quarters so as to be available at all times to the needy, without demanding any fees for his attendance.

Reply of Government.—*Vide* Subject No. 84.

Subject No. 86.

Timely medical help

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao.

Summary of Representation.—Persons living at a distance from towns having Dispensaries are put to a deal of inconvenience for want of timely medical help. It is therefore requested that persons who have received training in the Mysore Indigenous Hospital may be appointed to dispense medical aid in large villages.

Reply of Government.—*Vide* Subject No. 79.